

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. : **10/042,996**
 Filed : January 09, 2002
 Applicant : John T. Santini, Jr., et al.
 Title : Flexible Microchip Device for Ophthalmic and
 Other Applications

TC/AU : 3763
 Examiner : Mark K. Han

Docket No. : 17509-0024
 Customer No. : 29052



Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith are the following papers in the above-identified application:

- Amendment and Response to Office Action.
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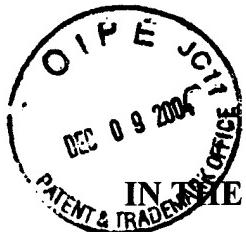
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INDEP.		MINUS	3		x43		x86 \$
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE							

- Petition for One-Month Extension of Time.
 Check for **\$55.00** for small entity is enclosed.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-5029. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the application in view of the following remarks.

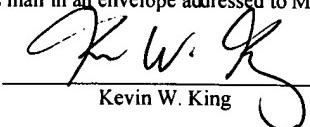
A Petition for an Extension of Time for one-month to December 6, 2004, is enclosed, along a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee for a small entity for the petition.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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I hereby certify that this paper, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on December 6, 2004, with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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